

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
ALEXANDRIA DIVISION

RICKY LEE MARTIN,
Petitioner

CIVIL ACTION SECTION "P"
1:11-CV-00222

VERSUS

JUDGE DEE D. DRELL

W.A. SHERROD,
Respondent

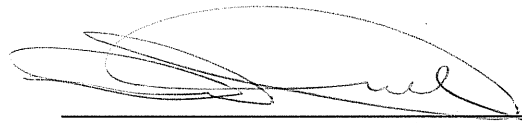
MAGISTRATE JUDGE JAMES D. KIRK

J U D G M E N T

For the reasons contained in the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge previously filed herein, noting the absence of objections thereto, and concurring with the Magistrate Judge's findings under the applicable law;

IT IS ORDERED that Martin's habeas petition is DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE for lack of exhaustion.

THUS ORDERED AND SIGNED in Chambers at Alexandria, Louisiana, on this 16th day of August, 2011.



DEE D. DRELL
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE